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General Bansemer graduated Magna Cum Laude from Roanoke College, Virginia with a Bachelor of Science degree in Computer Science and Statistics. He entered the Air Force in 1987 as a Distinguished Graduate of Officer Training School at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.





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